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☐ Single Address  
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☐ Title Address  
☐ Book MessageFOR COMMUNICATION CENTER USE  
MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION

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6. FROM DR. BRUCE WACHHOLZ  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20545

7.

(Signature of authorizing official)

8. DATE MAY 9, 1979

9. TO WILLIAM STANLEY, PACIFIC AREA SUPPORT OFFICE,  
HICKHAM AFB, HONOLULU, HAWAII

HUGH PRATT, BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LAB., UPTON, NEW YORK

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INFO CYS TO: ADM. R. R. MONROE, DEFENSE NUCLEAR AGENCY,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.; RUTH VAN CLEVE, DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.; VICTOR BOND, BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LAB,  
UPTON, NEW YORK; HARRY BROWN, PACIFIC AREA SUPPORT OFFICE,  
HICKHAM AFB, HONOLULU, HAWAII; ROGER RAY, NEVADA OPER. OFFICEFORTHCOMING DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN YOU AND THE PEOPLE OF THE  
MARSHALL ISLANDS, AND THEIR ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES, MAY TOUCH  
ON FUTURE MONITORING AND MEDICAL PLANS AND PROGRAMS IN THE  
NORTHERN MARSHALL ISLANDS. WHILE YOU ARE IN AN EXCELLENT POSITION  
TO DISCUSS PAST AND CURRENT ACTIVITIES AND FINDINGS, POSSIBLE  
FUTURE PROGRAMS AND RESPONSIBILITIES ARE NOT YET CLEARLY DIS-  
CERNIBLE.

YOU SHOULD BE AWARE THAT H.R. 3756 WAS INTRODUCED IN THE HOUSE,

BE BRIEF-ELIMINATE UNNECESSARY WORDS

10. ORIGINATOR (On separate lines,  
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different from Originator)

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PASSED IN THE HOUSE BY VOICE VOTE, AND HAS BEEN SENT TO THE SENATE. THIS BILL, INTRODUCED BY REP. PHILLIP BURTON AND 17 OTHER REPRESENTATIVES, CALLS FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR TO "... PROVIDE A PROGRAM OF MEDICAL CARE AND TREATMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH AND MONITORING FOR ANY INJURY, ILLNESS, OR CONDITION WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN THE RESULT OF ..." THE U.S. NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTING PROGRAM, "... FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE ATOLLS OF BIKINI, ENEWETAK, RONGELAP, AND UTIRIK AND FOR THEIR DESCENDANTS."

THE PROGRAM CALLS FOR:

1. AN INTEGRATED, COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE PROGRAM, INCLUDING PRIMARY, SECONDARY, AND TERTIARY CARE WITH EMPHASIS ON RADIOBIOLOGICAL EFFECTS;
2. PERIODIC RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY AND ANALYSIS OF ABOVE FOUR ATOLLS PLUS ALINGINAE;
3. DOSE ASSESSMENTS AT A MINIMUM OF FIVE-YEAR INTERVALS;
4. AN EDUCATION AND INFORMATION PROGRAM.

THE SECRETARY SHALL CONSULT AND COORDINATE WITH THE HIGH COMMISSIONER, PRESIDENT OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS, SECRETARY OF ENERGY, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE AND NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES. FEDERAL AGENCIES SHALL ASSIST THE SECRETARY OF INTERIOR AS REQUESTED. THE SECRETARY OF INTERIOR SHALL REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE CONGRESS AND THE PEOPLE OF THE ABOVE FOUR ATOLLS. THE PROGRAM SHALL BE TERMINATED ONLY WITH EXPRESS APPROVAL OF CONGRESS.

RE FUTURE PROGRAMS, IT DOES NOT SEEM THAT DISCUSSION KNOWLEDGEABLY CAN GO BEYOND:

1. DESCRIPTION OF H.R. 3756;
2. STATEMENT THAT IT WOULD BE INAPPROPRIATE AND PREMATURE TO DISCUSS FURTHER OR TO SPECULATE ON THE OUTCOME OF H.R. 3756;

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3. THAT H.R. 3756 IS CURRENTLY UNDER CONSIDERATION AND DISCUSSION  
BY THE CONGRESS AND BY THE RELEVANT AGENCIES.

IF PRESENT, MICRONESIAN LEGAL SERVICES PERSONNEL OR OTHERS MAY WISH TO  
COMMENT FURTHER.

HOPE YOU HAVE AN ENJOYABLE, PRODUCTIVE AND REWARDING TRIP.

MEMO ROUTE SLIP Form AEC-93 (Rev. May 14, 1947) AECM 0240		See me about this. Note and return.	For concurrence. For signature.	For action. For information.
TO (Name and unit) Ruth Clusen, ASEV Jim Liverman, DASEV Hal Hollister, SA/ASEV Walt Weyzen, OHER Joe Deal, OESD	INITIALS	REMARKS		
	DATE			
TO (Name and unit) Tommy McCraw, OESD	INITIALS	REMARKS		
	DATE			
TO (Name and unit)	INITIALS	REMARKS		
	DATE			
FROM (Name and unit) Bruce Wachholz	REMARKS For your info.			
PHONE NO. 3-4365	DATE 5/9/79			

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